

*Celebrating the Life  
of*

# **Craig Shermone**

*December 30, 1972 - September 26, 2022*



Service

Thursday, October 13, 2022 - 11:00 AM

**New Zion Baptist Church**

800-822 Flora Street

Elizabeth, New Jersey 07201

*Reverend Kevin James White, Officiating*



# *Life Reflections*

**Craig Shermone Harris** was born on December 30, 1972, to James and Jewell Harris in Elizabeth, NJ. Craig departed this life to be with the Lord on September 26, 2022.

Craig graduated from Elizabeth High School in 1991. He was heavy into his religious studies and his vision was always greater than his environment.

Craig saw himself and others as super stars, even if they were not, he always had great faith in them.

Growing up Craig loved cars, nice clothes, and good movies. As a child Craig was very adventurous, sports orientated. He enjoyed boxing and karate. In the later part of his life Craig got into music as an artist, writer, and a DJ.

Craig will be missed by everyone, but never forgotten.

Craig leaves behind his daughter, Shafiqah Harris, his daughters in his heart – Al Shalei, Chynna, Shonyea and Kayah. His grandchildren Sha'naa, Khyan, Kyrie, Al-Duhaj, Cali, Bryson, Harlem, and Haize. His father, James Harris; Two brothers, Wendell (Tonetta) and James “Shim” Harris (Seanee); Five sisters, Hackalyn and Yolanda Harris, Tomika Manns, Crystal, and Nicole Henry. A few cousins who were raised as siblings, several nieces and nephews, and a host of relatives and friends.

Craig is predeceased by his mother, Jewel Coleman Harris and his brother Darnell Harris.

When the soul is absent from the body, it is indeed present with the lord. Sleep in heavenly peace our Craig, sleep in heavenly peace. We love you.

Lovingly submitted,  
**The Harris Family**



# Order of Service

## **Organ Prelude**

**Opening Hymn**  
“Blessed Assurance”

## **Scriptures**

Old Testament: Saheed Baker - Isaiah 43: 1-7  
New Testament: Ebony Diehl - John 14 :1-3

## **Prayer of Comfort**

Reverend Kevin James White

## **Selection/ Solo**

Rex Hill (I'll Fly Away)

## **Words of Comfort**

West Coleman

## **Reflections (2-3minutes please)**

James Harris and Hackalyn Harris

## **Acknowledgement of Condolences and Obituary Reading**

Rochelle Arnold- Simmons

## **Selection/ Solo**

David Chapman (I See Miracles)

## **Eulogy**

Reverend Kevin James White

## **Benediction**

## **Recessional**

## **Interment**

Evergreen Cemetery  
Hillside, New Jersey

# A Special Poem To My Dad

An Angel came that day, picked you up and took you away.  
A million words will not bring you back because I tried,  
a million tears will not bring you back because I cried.  
You loved your grandkids to absolutely no end,  
you weren't only their pop-pop you were their true friend.  
We talked every day, oh how you had so much to say.  
I know deep down in my soul I will see you again,  
I love you now and I will love you then.  
If I could write a story, it will be the greatest ever told,  
of a kind of old school Dad with a heart of gold.

I could write a million pages but still would  
be unable to say,  
just how much I miss you every single day.  
No one could ever take your place,  
years may come and go but your memory  
will never be erased.

Watch over us from the heavens above,  
better yet go find grandma and uncle Dee  
and give them my love. For though I'll  
always miss you its dreadful being a part, I  
haven't really lost you, you're still in my heart.



## Love Your Daughter, Snoop

### Acknowledgement

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.  
Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there.  
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words that any friend could say.  
Perhaps you were not there at all; just thought of us that day.*

*Whatever you did to console our hearts,  
We thank you so much whatever the part.  
**The Family of Craig Shermone Harris***

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